

Unity Award Luncheon Planning and Selection Process

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Luncheon Planning

The Unity Award Luncheon is traditionally held annually in January in the observance of Martin Luther King's birthday.

The Unity Award Selection Committee is appointed by the chair of the Race Relations Committee (RRC). The committee will consist of five members. Three members will be selected to serve two year terms, and two members will be selected to serve two-year terms. Thereafter, each chair will select replacements as needed. The chair will also appoint one committee member to be committee co-chairperson.

Nominee Selection

The purpose of the Unity Award is to honor individuals, living or deceased, in the Longview community who has stood against prejudice and mistrust and who have demonstrated leadership in promoting racial harmony and understanding. Those persons can be current or past residents of the Longview area.

The deadline for nominations will be in October. The Selection Committee will make a recommendation for two people to be honored. The Race Relations Committee must approve the nominees by a majority vote. A nominee, or family member, if the nominee is deceased, must commit to attend the luncheon or another nominee will be selected. A nomination will remain on file for three years from the date it is submitted; therefore, a person that is nominated, but not selected, will remain eligible for two more years. A new committee will be appointed every year to publicize and host the Unity Award Luncheon.

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